John M. McHugh, of New York, to be Secretary of the Army. Pages \$9447, \$9488

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—282) Page S9400-01, S9401, S9402, S9409

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 8:05 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 17, 2009. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$9488.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

FEDERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR DC CHILDREN

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government concluded a hearing to examine the use, impact, and accomplishments of Federal appropriations provided to improve the education of children in the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Michelle Rhee, Chancellor, District of Columbia Public Schools, Josephine Baker, District of Columbia Public Charter School Board, and Gregory M. Cork, Washington Scholarship Fund, all of Washington, D.C.

HUMAN SPACE FLIGHT PLANS COMMITTEE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science and Space concluded a hearing to examine options from the review of the United States Human Space Flight Plans Committee, after receiving testimony from Norman R. Augustine, Chairman, United States Human Space Flight Plans Committee, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

STRATEGIES FOR AFGHANISTAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine three strategies for Afghanistan after receiving testimony from John A. Nagl, Center for New American Security, and Stephen Biddle, Council on Foreign Relations, both of Washington, D.C.; and Rory Stewart, Harvard University Carr Center on Human Rights Policy, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

NOMINATION

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Daniel I. Werfel, of Virginia, to be Controller, Office of Federal Financial Management, Office of Management and Budget, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Richard Serino, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Kerry, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Federal Bureau of Investigation, after receiving testimony from Robert S. Mueller III, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Winslow Lorenzo Sargeant, of Wisconsin, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, and Peggy E. Gustafson, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, both of the Small Business Administration.